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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, St/PR
ATTENTION: [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
FROM: Chief, Materials Division, ORR

1. Production of selected commodities of the US in the first quarter 1958 is as follows:

Steel	18.8 million tons
Coal	90.6 million tons
Petroleum	89.0 million tons
Electricity	180.0 billion kilowatt

2. The petroleum figure includes natural gas liquids to make it comparable with the announced Soviet figure.

3. All of the above estimates are preliminary estimates because "Official" figures for March 1958 are not yet available. The figures given should, however, be quite close to the ultimate "Official" figure.

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